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(HFA-305)
5630 Fishers Lane, Room 1061
Rockville, Maryland 20852

Gentlemen:

Regarding Docket #94P-0036:

We strongly support the excellent FDA proposal to require that trans fats be included with saturated fats on food labels. Furthermore, we urge you to retain the current Daily Value for saturated fat, but limit the amount of trans fat in foods making misleading claims such as "low in saturated fat" "cholesterol free" or "lean." The amount of trans fat should definitely be included on all labeling as well.

As members of the Center for Science in the Public Interest, we are cognizant of the important role proper food labeling plays in American's health. Please stand firm on this and all other proposals, which protect and educate the American public about the food we eat.

Sincerely,

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